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Application No. 10/715,310

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Associate Docket 33322-0017

## REQUEST FOR EXTENSION TIME AND TRANSMITTAL OF AMENDMENT

You are requested to grant a one-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated April 28, 2006, to charge the extension fee and any additional filing fee that may be now due to Deposit Account No. 23-0785, and to enter the Amendment transmitted herewith.

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Applicants :

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Serial No. :

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Filing Date: November 17, 2003

Title

PASSIVE INDUCTIVE SWITCH

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### AMENDMENT

To: Commissioner for Patents,

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 28, 2006, please amend this application as follows:

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 13 of this paper.